

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR INTERFERENCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.607(a) PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:

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METHOD FOR DEPOSITING TITANIUM OXIDE COATINGS ON FLAT GLASS For:

AND THE RESULTING COATED GLASS

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR **DECLARATION OF INTERFERENCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.607**

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Supplemental to the Preliminary Amendment and Request for Declaration of Interference filed in the above-identified application on September 14, 2000, Applicant further requests that, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.607, an interference also be declared between the present application and the issued patent which is identified below. It is requested that the additional interference be consolidated with the interference requested on September 14, 2000.

Kindly amend the application to enter the following interfering claims: